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House Resolution No. 3385

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State residents who have demonstrated an exceptional commitment to serving others; and

Whereas, Klara Vaught is a Senior Corps volunteer who brings many strengths to her service leadership position with the Bi-County Service, Incorporated Foster Grandparent Program; and

Whereas, Klara Vaught received a prestigious 2005 Lieutenant Governor's Service Award on Missouri Service Day, May 10, 2005, during a ceremony held at the Capitol in Jefferson City; and

Whereas, with a reputation for outstanding participation in national service, Klara Vaught is admirably following the Department of Economic Development, Community Development Group, Missouri Community Service Commission mandate to strengthen communities through citizen service; and

Whereas, Klara Vaught has volunteered as a foster grandparent for the past fourteen years at Butterfield Youth Services in Marshall which serves Severely Emotionally Disturbed (SED) youth; and

Whereas, Klara Vaught serves in the Homestead Ranch with youth between the ages of eight and twelve years; and

Whereas, known for her positive attitude, patience, and perseverance, Klara Vaught is a naturalized citizen whose outlook on life is influenced by her firsthand knowledge of prewar Europe and how life in the United States has changed over the years; and

Whereas, Klara Vaught routinely listens, talks, and engages boys with immediate problems, particularly those children who have lost privileges as a consequence of behavior:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the nomination and selection of Klara Vaught for a 2005 Lieutenant Governor's Service Award through Senior Corps and to convey to her this legislative body's heartiest congratulations and our best wishes for continued achievement for many more years to come; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Klara Vaught of Marshall, Missouri.

| Offered by | |
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| _ | Representative Joe Aull |
| | District No. 26 |
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I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 3385, adopted May 16, 2005.